

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : George Pratt
Appl. No. : 10/588831
Filed : August 9, 2006
Title : Sliding Bearing Element and Method of Producing
Grp./A.U. : 1794
Examiner : Adam C. Krupicka
Docket No. : 710100-00024

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Dear Sir:

In response to the office action dated August 18, 2009, please amend this application as follows: